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Regular Troops Arouse Enthusiasm All Along the Way.

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Ceremonies.

CROWDER'S WOOD, Near Baltimore.

adjutant; Lieutenant Harman, quartermas

ter, and Captain Arthur, surgeon. The ommand consists of four troops of the 6th

United States Cavalry, in charge of Major

ebo, and Battery E, 1st United States Ar-

are Captains West and Craig, and Lieuten-

commanding general, Department of the East, was thronged with visitors from re-veille until taps, and even after taps it re-

Elizabeth and Princeton.

servers. But the hospitality of the Eliza-

beth people more than made amends for

the inclement weather. Charming people

waded out to the camp and made them-

selves known; and dinners, breakfasts

followed. It was with genuine regret that the regulars left Camp Keene, as uncom-fortable as it had been, and marched to New Brunswick. Here the sun shone for

awhile—long enough to allow bedding and clothing to be dried; but rain relentlessly pursued the troops, and the patter of the rain drops on the canvas all night long, with, perhaps, a very few trickling through on to the tired soldiers, was not an encurrence bullets.

couraging lullaby.

But the sun came forth on the following day from a heavy bank of clouds, and the troopers whistled—a never-failing indication of rising spirits.

And then came Princeton!

All series of rumors in regard to Princeton.

And then came Princeton!
All sorts of rumors in regard to Princeton had reached the troopers from the time they had left New York. "Look out for them boys," said one old wiseacre. "They ran one wild west show out of town." The soldiers did not relish being taken for a wild west show. Neither did they like the idea of going on the warpath for Princetonians. Old Indian fighters took counsel of one another and a few recruits were seen putting an extra keen edge on their sabers.

clubs, and later in the evening the senior class, seated on the steps of historic Old Nassau, gave a most enjoyable and credit-

ble vocal concert.

of these United States.

able vocal concert.

After tents were struck the following day the command was wheeled into line in front of the line of beautiful college buildings, and, amid the cheers of the students, arms were presented to that grand old building where met the first Continental Congress of these United States

'Mid the Blaze of Cameras.

three-fourths of the students of Princeton

accompanied the troopers. Wheels passe

and repassed, and from around sudden

turns in the road masked batteries of

cameras were aimed and fired, their owners

they halted, aimed, and fired again. Not since the war of the revolution had United States regular troops traversed that histor-

ic road, and this may perhaps explain the

states regular troops traversed that historic road, and this may perhaps explain the warmth of the welcome which the troops received at Princeton and Trenton. At Trenton companies of the National Guard met and escorted the regulars through the city, flags flying from nearly every window. The Delaware was crossed, and Camp Morris established on the site of Washington's headquarters, on Morris Island. Here again was the camp visited by thousands of interested visitors, and perhaps the only thing that saved it from complete inundation was the fact that toll was levied on all who crossed the river.

The next camp was at Torresdale, a suburb of Philadelphia, upon the lovely estate of Col. Morrell, inspector general of the Pennsylvania National Guard. The march thence was the culmination of a series of patriotic demonstrations by the good people of New Jersey. At Bristol nearly every house was gorgeously decorated with bunting, and near the center of the town a piece of the original arch under which Lafayette passed in 1824 spanned the street and did honor to the marching troops.

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After several days at Torresdale, where Camp Morrell was deluged with visitors, the command marched into Philadelphia and pitched the tents of Camp Hastings on George's Hill, Fairmount Park. To all appearance, the entire city of Philadelphia visited Camp Hastings—all intensely interested in the way regular soldiers lived while on the field. Officers and soldiers answered questions the livelong day, and when their throats became husky resorted to roping off the tents with lariats. But the crowd was no respecter of lariats, and good naturedly climbed over or crawled under, with a nonchalance native to the American people. At meal times the officers' messes had to be protected from invasion by armed sentinels, while from a respectful distance the crowd watched the food consumed as though it were so much dynamite. The crowd was certain that regulars site dynamite or melinite or some other high explosive, and apparently waited around to see some of the troopers explode.

On the way to Trenton it seemed as if

Washington, about 250 miles.

four foot batteries of artillery under Major Lancaster of Washington barracks, with Capts. Chase, Everett, Fuger and Adair and Lieuts. Alexander, Hunter, Glimore, Flem-ing and Guignard on duty with the bat-

Lieuts. Alexander, Hunter, Glimore, Frenching and Guignard on duty with the batteries.

This command marched on foot to Philadelphia and presented a fine appearance. After the dedication of the Washington statue by the Society of the Cincinnati on May 15, the foot batteries returned to Washington and Baitimore by rail, while the cavalry and light artillery received orders to continue their overland march from Philadelphia to Washington.

Camp Hastings was broken on May 17, and the troops proceeded through Chester, Pa., to the vicinity of Newark, where camp was made. Thence across the Susquehanna river on the bridge at Conowingo, Md., and down through "My Maryland" past Baltimore towards their posts.

If there is one thing that was significantly noticeable during the entire march of the regulars it was the intense patriotism manifested along the route. Over every school house, from New York down through Maryland, floated "Old Glory," and gathered in front were the school children waving flags and cheering the troops to the echo. At one country school house in Pennsylvania a hundred little tots sang "The Star Spangled Banner" while the regulars passed. At isolated crossroads in the midst of woods a score of country people would be gathered together with the "stars and stripes" waving proudly above them, to do honor to the federal government. Out-of-the-way farm houses would display flags from every window, while at one farm the patriotic owner had decorated a dozen yards of his rail fence with bunting in front of which he proudly stood with his entire family and the flag, as typical a representative of an American as could be found. TO BE BACK NEXT MONDAY May 20, 1897 The regular troops from Fort Myer and Washington barracks, who left, about a onth ago, to take part in the Grant day sarade in New York, are expected to arrive Monday next, having marched overland the entire distance between New York and The commanding officer of the troops is Col. S. S. Sumner, commandant at Fort Myer, with a staff of Lieutenant Howze,

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Catholic.

tillery, commanded by Captain Capron. The Very Rev. Dr. Conaty, rector of the The other officers on duty with the troops university, has gone to Holyoke, Mass., to preach at the blessing of the chime bells arts Brooks, Gallagher, Ryan, Rhodes, Hyer, Short, Heiberg, Lott, Summerlin, Chamberlain, Hawthorne, Hamilton and of the Church of the Sacred Heart. Father Phelan, the rector of the church, is a classmate of Dr. Conaty's of the class of '69 Nissen.
While in New York the troops from Washington were encamped on the heights above Weehawken and were transported to and from New York on the ferry boats of the West Shore railroad. This camp, which was called Camp Merritt, in honor of the commanding general Department of the

at the Holy Cross College.

Examinations for the licentiate in theology are going on in the divinity building,
and also in the law department, at McMahon Hall.

Among the visitors to the university this Among the visitors to the university this week were the Rev. Dr. Byrne, vicar general of the diocese of Boston: Rev. Sylvester Malone, regent of the University of New York; a delegation of the Sisters of St. Joseph, from the diocese of Springfield, Mass., and also the sisters of Notre Dame, who showed great interest and visited the different departments of the university. There was also a large number of clergymen, who came over from Baltimore, after the ceremonies at the consecration of Bishop Allen.

Rev. William J. Fitzgerald of Lambertville, N. J., first president of the Alumni Association, has been invited to deliver the baccalaureate sermon on the first Sunday veille until taps, and even after taps it required the persuasion of an armed sentinel to convince some visitors that their presence was not wanted. Curiosity at everything to be seen—the tents, the horses, the rified field pieces—but above all the field kitchens was something marvelous. Officers became accustomed to strange faces peering into their cosy tents with such remarks as "My, he's got a looking glass!" "And see the wash basin!" "He actually uses soap," etc.; while the crowds about marks as "My, he's got a looking glass!"
"And see the wash basin!" "He actually uses soap," etc.; while the crowds about the open-air kitchens became so demonstrative that ropes had to be stretched to enable the cooks to work. The camera enthusisasis were very much in evidence, and both officers and men early became hardened to gazing fixedly into space, while the lens of a camera was thrust ruthlessly forward in their direction. Surely, soldiers dare face the frowning cannon's mouth, after experiences such as these!

Camp Merritt was abandoned May 1, the inhabitants of the neighboring town of Guttenberg causing no little excitement by their frantic efforts to carry off fire wood left by the troops, while a single employe of the quartermaster's department tried vainly to keep his eyes on forty different piles of wood at the same time. The troops abandoned him to his fate! With band playing and colors flying the cavalry and light battery made their first day's march

calaureate sermon on the first Sunday

Among the exhibits of interest collected this year in the chemical museum are the products of the distillation of wood, of the soap boiling industry and medicinal barks and drugs derived therefrom, and the manufacture of paints. There was a game last Wednesday afternoon between the juniors and seniors of the law department, which resulted in the score of 16 to 16, after eight innings of play.

play.

The divinity college of the university played a game last Tuesday with St. Thomas' College, and the team from St. Thomas' was victorious by the score of t

Tuesday last examinations in the the logical department were commenced, and they will be continued daily until Wedesday. Among the examiners are Rev. Dr. Newman of the Congregational Church

playing and colors flying the cavalry and light battery made their first day's march to Elizabeth, N. J., passing through Hoboken, Jersey City and Newark. Flags were flying along the route, and from the mills and factories hundreds of handkerchiefs were waved to the boys in blue. For divers reasons, the boys in blue did not all have handkerchiefs to wave in return, but their drab campaign hats did quite as well. and Rev. M. Ross Fishburn, besides other pastors of prominence pastors of prominence.
Friday evening, May 28, the anniversary celebration of the foundation of the theological department of the school will occur. One of the features will be a general report of the work accomplished during the year, to be presented by the Rev. Dr. Fishburn. The exercises will be held at Rankin Memorial Chapel.
The mock congress adjourned Friday, the 14th, for the term, after a successful year. At Elizabeth rain overtook the command the camp, which was unfortunately pitched on swampy ground, became a quagmire and there was serious thought of telegraphing the War Department for life pre-

irday, Morse excelled, clearing 5 foot t inches. The 50-yard dash was won by Bishop, in a fraction over five seconds. Other contests were quite interesting, and some of them very close.

Columbian. The Columbian women have chartered the steamer Macalester for Wednesday, June 2, when they will give an excursion to Marshall Hall, the proceeds of the oc-

casion to be given to the university gym The bust of Justice Harlan, which is to be presented to the university by the law department on Saturday evening, June 5, just preceding the prize debate, will be presented by Justice Cox on behalf of the donors, while President Whitman will make the speech of acceptance for the uni-

There was a meeting of the post-graduate class Friday evening for the purpose of filling the vacancies caused by the resignations of Messrs. Garner and Robertson

by one another and a few retruits were seen putting an extra keen edge on their sabers. But the Princeton boys, loyal young Americans, proved jolly good fellows, who seemed half inclined to join forces with Uncle Sam's representatives, instead of running them out of town. A number of officers were invited to dine at the students' of the same leter in the evening the senter. of the executive committee. Other busi-ress was also transacted. Final examinations will begin Wednesday, May 26, and continue until Saturday, June 5, in the Corcoran Scientific School.

Dr. Montague attended the meeting of the Southern College Association held recently in Wilmington, and was elected president.

Prof. G. P. Merrill of the Corcoran Scientific School is making preparations for a

tific School is making preparations for a trip to St. Petersburg, Russia, where he goes to attend the international congress

of geologogists.

Mr. J. S. Wiserton of the class of '97,
Corcoran Scientific School, has been ap-pointed chemist of the steel works at Readprof. Lee Davis Lodge will examine the class in international law, May 25, and a prize will be awarded for the highest

standing.

Special attention will be given the course in politics and sociology, in charge of Prof.
Lodge, during the rext year.
Beginning next fall there will be inaugurated a special course of study of "Comparative Jurisprudence," which has been in contemplation for several years.

Georgetown. The seniors were examined in physic Monday and in philosophy Wednesday. The new galleries in Gaston Hall have nenced, and work is well unde way. It is expected that the comm ment exercises will be held in the hall and every effort is being made to push the work forward as rapidly as possible in order that the finishing touches may b completed by June 23.

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The final examinations in the law department have been in progress during the present week, ending today.

Fox, the 100-yard sprinter, strained his leg in practice recently, but expects to be able to take part in the Mott Haven games. Georgetown will send six men to uphold the blue and gray, but it has not yet been decided who they will be. Twelve are in training. Corey has shown up in good form, and is expected to make very good time next year. McInery, who showed up so well last year in the hurdle, will be unable to compete at Mott Haven, and his absence will deprive Georgetown of one point, as he was reasonably certain of winning his event.

Commencement exercises will occur on June 23, and the committee in charge have every assurance that Gaston Hall will be completed in time for the event. So far as the graduates have charge, the orations will be as follows: Bachelor's oration, Mr. Daniel O'Donoghue; valedictory, Francis K. Delaney; master's oration, John K. Broderick, a graduate of St. Louis University, where he took the degree of D. A. The Philodemic Society held a meeting Thursday night to arrange for the bunquet to be held in the near future.

The athletic association will meet next Sunday afternoon to elect officers are: Mr. Watkins, vice president; Francis K. Delaney; treasurer: Fred. Schade, in charge bicycle team; Thos. A. Cullen, billiards; Joseph Collins, base ball; Harry Gowen, tennis.

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Used upright planes for \$75 to \$100 May 28 the last day. Some have been disap ointed already in getting certain styles, many nay be in the future, and it will pay those intersted to make an early call.

METZEROTT MUSIC COMPANY.

of Georgetown University and a member of the graduating class of the law school of '89, has recently been appointed by Governor Holcomb of Nebraska as the third judge of the municipal court of Omaha, where he has been practicing his profession for the past four years.

CASE OF SUICIDE. George A. Jordan, Prominent Busi-

ness Man, Takes His Own Life. George A. Jordan, a lawyer and real esate broker, committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself in the head with a 32-caliber revolver. Mr. Jordan had been in bad health for some time, and it is thought that he committed the deed in a fit of despondency caused by his illness Mr. Jordan left his home yesterday mornas usual and went to his office at 1417 F street. About 10 o'clock he went over to the Corcoran building and called on Mr. John J. Weed, who occupies apartments in the house of the deceased. Mr. Jordan and Mr. Weed taiked together for some time, and about 11 o'clock the former went to the Howard House, where he regstered and asked for a room. Shortly afte 3 o'clock the bell boy went upstairs and called him, in accordance with a request Mr. Jordan made when he registered. He came down stairs and left the hotel, but soon returned; and the proprietor, Mr. J. C. Maynard, noticed that he had two small C. Maynard, noticed that he had two small packages in his hand, which, it is now believed, contained the revolver and a box of cartridges. He asked for the key of his room and went upstairs again, and in a few minutes the report of a pistol was heard.

When the room occupied by Mr. Jordan was entered he was found lying on the floor with the blood gushing from a wound in the right side of his head. A telephone message was sent at once to the Free.

The mock congress adjourned Friday, the 14th, for the term, after a successful year.

The recent meeting of the Christian Endeavor was led by Mr. R. C. Gale. Before the termination of the present term, two more meetings will be held.

The athletes of the university have recently engraged in field grames to a considwhich occurred at half-past 10 o'clock.

Mr. Jordan had a large circle of friends in this city, where he has lived the greater part of his life. He was for over twenty years chief of the division of abandoned years chief of the division of abandoned and captured property in the Treasury Department. During the first Cleveland administration he lost his place, and opened a real estate and law office in this city. He was a member of the Scottish Rite of Masons and of the Royal Arcanum, and was a also a communicant of the Universalist Church. His family reside at No. 1517 P street northwest.

CLASSIS IN SESSION.

Official Body of German Reformed Church Convened at Westminster. The Maryland classis of the Reformed Church in the United States convened in Westminster, Md., Wednesday evening. The opening sermon by the retiring president, Rev. E. R. Eshbach, D. D., of Fred-

ident, Rev. E. R. Eshbach, D. D., of Frederick, based on Deuteronomy 32:71, was commemorative of the 150th anniversary of the organization of the Reformed Church in this country.

The classis represents sixty-two churches in Washington, Baltimore and the northwestern portions of Maryland, with an aggregate membership of 14,000.

Rev. T. T. Hoffmeler was elected president for the ensuing year. The adoption of a new constitution for the denomination will be one of the items of business to be considered. The sessions will probably continue until Monday.

FOR MAINTENANCE.

Mrs. Bridget Nichols Enters Sui Against Her Husband. Bridget Nichols, who was married to

Stephen E. Nichols at Baltimore, Md., January 2, 1870, yesterday applied for a limited

ary 2, 1870, yesterday applied for a limited separation and for maintenance.

Mrs. Nichols says that her husband, after serving in the 5th United States Cavalry, left her and their child in March, 1885, to accompany Gen. Greely in search of the north pole. Whether he did or not she does not know, but she charges that she never saw or heard from him until about a year ago, when she saw him driving alleged horses on the Belt line in this city. At the present time he is, she declares, a gripman on another local street railway, receiving a salary of \$52 a month and a monthly pension of \$12.

Mrs. Nichols, who states that she supports herself by selling newspapers, is represented by Attorney Belva A. Lockwood.

Dancing Exhibit at Brookland.

Last night Miss Sarah Willard Howe's the town hall at Brookland. The school presented a two-act drama, "Violet's Dream," written by Miss Howe, in which were introduced many novelties in dancing. All of the participants did excellent work. All the dances were heartily applauded, especially the Bow and Arrow dance by little Elsie Sheetz, the four-year-old baby of the school. She was called before the curtain several times, and received two large bouquets, which almost hid her little self. The dances showed careful training and were well executed by the pupils. La Nuit, by Marle Howe, was by far the most difficult and artistic. In this the dancer did some remarkable work on the toes, worthy the professional stage. At the conclusion of the program medals were presented, one for the pupil selling the great-cet number of tickets, which was won by Florence Crook, and one to be drawn for by the school, which Mary Dowling captured. This last medal was a surprise to the pupils, and was presented by their teachers for their improvement and earnest work for the exhibition. The evening closed with general dancing. The whole affair reflected much credit upon the young teachers, Misses Sarah and Marle Howe. Dream," written by Miss Howe, in which